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Re: FW: Meeting Topics		03/31/2011 10:03 AM	

Document Body

A pre-meeting makes sense. It looks like I have some time the afternoon of 4/12. Norma - can you work with Karen to get a meeting set up with Marcia and others. Thanks

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As you know, a meeting is being put together with you, us and the Illinois Farm Bureau/Illinois livestock groups. I think it would be wise of us to have a conversation ahead of this meeting on what impact, if any, the 5th Circuit Court decision has on commitments in our CAFO workplan. The Farm Bureau and livestock groups have already been in to discuss the workplan with our Director, and they have the opinion that the decision "changes everything". While we may not agree, I think it would be very wise to have that discussion among ourselves and know how we will respond. Can I have Karen contact Norma to schedule? I will be up in Chicago on April 12, so I guess that is one possibility.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Breckenridge, Richard
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To: Bonnett, Lisa; Willhite, Marcia; Yurdin, Bruce; Kim, John J.
Cc: Dowd, Elmo; Carson, Maggie
Subject: FW: Meeting Topics

To all: In coordination with Nancy Erickson we are in the process of scheduling a meeting with Region 5 US EPA, Illinois EPA, IDOA and our livestock stakeholder groups to discuss inspection SOPs, 5th Circuit ruling, composting, and the Region 5 / Illinois EPA Working Agreement.

-----Original Message-----

From: Erickson, Nancy [mailto:NErickson@ilfb.org]
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Subject: RE: Meeting Topics

TO: Patrick Kuefler
Joan Rogers
RE: Topics for meeting

Thanks for your note. I am sending you and Joan a list of the topics that the organizations would like to discuss at our meeting on April 18, April 28, or April 29.

Inspections of livestock farms
Notification of inspections
 Ensure farmer is present
Biosecurity
Identification of inspectors
How to work with farmers
Information back to farmers after inspection
Comments to the press during on-going investigations or concerns with press releases
Reaction to 5th Circuit Ruling-next steps by US EPA in this area
Definitions
Compost piles
Agreement between US EPA and IEPA
Possible mock inspection or explanation of agency's inspection training

Contact me if you have any questions. Please let me know what date will work.

Thanks.

Nancy Erickson

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Subject: RE: Meeting

Nancy - That is fine. I am going to be out of the office next week and unable to check email or voicemail. Please send a copy of the agenda items to Joan Rogers of my staff who can work on setting up the meeting. She is copied on this message. Personally I am available the 18th, 28th and 29th. Once we see the scope of the issues that you want to discuss, Joan can try to line up the right people and finalize a date. It would also be helpful if you know who would be attending with you.

thanks

Patrick F. Kuefler

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From: "Erickson, Nancy" <NErickson@ilfb.org>

To: Patrick Kuefler/R5/USEPA/US@EPA

Date: 03/25/2011 01:57 PM

Subject: RE: Meeting

Patrick:

I will get a list of topics to you no later than Monday a.m.
Nancy

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Nancy - I am pretty sure the 7th will not work but it would help us line up the right people if you could provide a proposed agenda.

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Date: 03/25/2011 11:53 AM

Subject: Meeting

TO:
US EPA and IEPA Staff

RE:

Meeting

The agricultural related groups in Illinois are interested in meeting with the IEPA and US EPA to discuss livestock issues related to CAFOs. This meeting would be a follow-up to a meeting we held about 2 years ago with the agencies here at the Illinois Farm Bureau Building in Bloomington. We would be able to travel to the US EPA office in Chicago for the meeting.

Here are the days we would have available:

April 7
April 18
April 28
April 29

Please let me know as soon as possible so that we can confirm the date.

Thank you.

Nancy Erickson

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